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## ELECTRIC POWER DATA, APRIL 1953-JANUARY 1954, EXTRACTED FROM CHINESE COMMUNIST PRESS

HIGH-VOLTAGE TRANSMISSION LINE COMPLETED -- Peiping, Kung-jen Jih-pao, 26 Jan 54

In the Northeast Administrative Area a 220,000 volt, 369.25 kilometer transmission line was completed ahead of schedule on 23 January 1954.

ELECTRIC POWER PLANT CONSTRUCTION -- Tsinan, Ta-chung Jih-pao, 11 Apr 53

The No 0170 Electric Power Plant began distributing electric power in Northeast China on 3 March 1953. This 6,000 to 7,000 kilowatt plant can create 584 billion yuan in capital annually and maintain the lights for a city of 1,500,000 population.

Tientsin, Ta Kung Pao, 24 Nov 53

The construction of T'ai-yuan Thermal Electric Power Plant, the largest of its kind in China, is now being undertaken with Soviet aid.

ECONOMY IN ELECTRIC POWER CONSUMPTION -- Tsinan, Ta-chung Jih-pao, 4 Apr 53

It is estimated that 3,600,000,000 yuan can be saved annually through reductions in equipment and electric power by combining the Central Shantung Electric Works Bureau and the main Shantung Paper Manufacturing Plant.

Tsinan, Ta-chung Jih-pao, 4 Apr 53

Soviet experience and advice enabled electric power costs in Mukden coal fields to be reduced from 9.7 to 33 percent in 1952. In Tientsin in 1951, electric power costs for industry were reduced more than 3,700,006,700 yuan.

ELECTRIC GENERATOR INSPECTION AND REPAIR -- Tsinan, Ta-chung Jih-pao, 5 Apr 53

To permit the inspection and repair of the generators, the Tsinan District Office of the Central Shantung Electric Works Bureau has requested that its customers discontinue using household appliances and reduce the use of electric lights from 5 April to 11 April 1953 between the hours 1830 to 2230.

Tsinan, Ta-chung Jih-pao, 27 Apr 53

On 2 May 1953, the Tsinan District Office of the Central Shantung Electric Works Bureau will shut off the electric power in Tsinan District for 11 hours 30 minutes in order to examine and repair generators and transmission lines.

ELECTRIC POWER LINE REPAIR -- Tsinan, Ta-chung Jih-pao, 6 Apr 53

For purposes of making repairs, the Tsinan District Office of the Central Shantung Electric Works Bureau, on 6 April 1953, will shut off the power of one main line for 9 hours, one main line for one hour, and one division of a trunk line for 9 hours. On 7 April, two main lines will be out of service for 9 hours. On 8 April, four main lines will be out of service for 9 hours and two branch lines will be out of service for one hour.

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ELECTRIC POWER SERVICES CURTAILED -- Tsinan, Ta-chung Jih-pao, 16 Apr 53

On 16 April 1953, the Tsinan People's Government for an indefinite period prohibited the use of electric power by unauthorized personnel from 1900 to 2200 [in Tsinan].

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